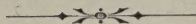


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# TOWN OFFICERS

FOR 1901-1902.

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*Town Clerk*—John H. Steele.

*Town Treasurer*—Lewis P. Wilson.

*Selectmen*—Samuel W. Vose, Ezra M. Smith, William G. Hunter.

*Supervisors of the Check List*—Arthur H. Miller, Arthur P. Smith, George W. Ames.

*Overseer of the Poor*—Samuel W. Nichols.

*Auditors*—William G. Livingston, George A. Hamilton, Charles A. Jaquith.

*Library Committee*—Eben W. Jones, Charles W. Harrington, Arthur H. Miller.

*Fire Wards*—Frank E. Russell, chief; Martin E. Field, Andrew J. Walbridge, Timothy E. Driscoll, John W. Robbe, Frank I. Davis, Richard Howarth.

*Collector of Taxes*—Forrest G. Field.

*Sexton*—Carl H. Foster.

*Constable*—Elijah A. Robbins.

*Surveyors of Lumber*—John W. Emmes, Granville B. Gilchrest, George W. Vinall, John E. Dunbar, John W. Robbe, Henry F. Buchanan.

*Police Officers*—Henry T. Buckland, chief; Alvin Townsend, Charles F. Miller.

*Cemetery Committee*—Eben W. Jones, Carl H. Foster, George H. Foote.

*Highway Agent*—Joel T. Brackett.

*Fence Viewers*—Eben W. Jones, Lewis P. Wilson.

*Agent of the Town Clock*—Alfred F. Grimes.

*Putnam Grove Committee*—George W. Farrar, Lewis P. Wilson, Hiram T. Cram.

*Liquor Agent*—George Cragin.

*Board of Health*—Daniel M. White, Bertell L. Talbot, Charles A. Jaquith.

*Public Weigher*—James E. Saunders.

*Janitor and Manager of Town Hall*—Hiram T. Cram.

*Water Commissioners*—Thomas B. Tucker, Andrew J. Walbridge, Eben W. Jones.

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## SCHOOL OFFICERS.

*School Board*—Edwin H. Taylor, William Moore.

*Secretary*—Mrs. Jennie E. Field.

*Treasurer*—Mrs. Nellie F. Cummings.

*Auditors*—Mortier L. Morrison, William H. Caldwell.



# SELECTMEN'S REPORT

RENDERED FEB. 15, 1902.

## RECEIPTS.

Amount of tax list, April 1, 1901	\$24,348 04
Amount of tax list after April 1, 1901	59 70
State of New Hampshire, insurance tax	331 50
“ “ “ railroad tax	843 84
“ “ “ savings bank tax	2,308 01
“ “ “ literary fund	213 69
First National Bank, borrowed money	10,000 00
E. Snow, pool table license	10 00
James M. Hastings, billiard and pool table licenses	20 00
Willard Lee, “ “ “ “	20 00
Frank R. Seavey, “ “ “ “	20 00
H. T. Cram, janitor town hall	475 00
J. R. Miller & Son, rent of store	200 00
Walbridge & Taylor, “ “	400 00
Temple, one-half stone posts set on town line	3 75
Watering trough, sold	1 50
Egleton Stock Show Co., license	5 00
Merry-go-round, license	5 00
County, cost returned	39 57
Interest on D. B. Cutter trust fund	30 00
“ Henry Washburn trust fund, library	7 62
George Cragin, liquor agent	250 00
Water Commissioners, on account	2,023 39
E. M. Smith, Justice Police Court	65 24
H. T. Cram, use of piano	25 00
	<hr/> \$41,705 85

## EXPENDITURES.

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### Schools.

#### RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	5,200 00
Transferred from sheep killed by dogs	316 07
Literary fund	213 69
	<hr/> 5,729 76

#### EXPENDITURES.

Nellie F. Cummings, treasurer	5,729 76
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### Repairs on School Houses.

#### RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	150 00
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#### EXPENDITURES.

Nellie F. Cummings, treasurer	150 00
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### School Books and Supplies.

#### RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	550 00
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#### EXPENDITURES.

Nellie F. Cummings, treasurer	550 00
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### Physical Culture in Schools.

#### RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	200 00
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#### EXPENDITURES.

Nellie F. Cummings, treasurer	200 00
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**Grand Army.**

## RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	100 00
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## EXPENDITURES.

H. T. Cram, Quartermaster	100 00
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**Town Library.**

## RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	76 08	
Appropriation	800 00	
Henry Washburn fund, interest	7 62	
	—	883 70

## EXPENDITURES.

Eva E. Coffin, librarian, salary	400 00	
Library Art Club, assessment	5 00	
George Wait Cummings, printing	6 50	
Charles E. Lauriat Co., books	117 93	
J. F. Barnard & Co., magazines	30 30	
A. T. Hovey, coal	43 48	
George H. Foote, labor	2 00	
Nichols Bros., brushes, gages, labor	3 91	
Charles Bevis, janitor	10 00	
Alvin Townsend, coal	70 66	
S. Anderson & Son, labor, plank, nails	5 72	
E. A. Robbins & Son, pipe, lead, tees	6 04	
George Wait Cummings, printing	5 50	
J. H. Steele, magazines etc.,	60 30	
Walbridge & Taylor, wood	4 50	
	—	771 84
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		111 86

**Building New Highway at West Village.**

## RECEIPTS.

Nothing.	
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## EXPENDITURES.

J. T. Brackett, building highway	101 59
Balance against this account Feb. 15, 1902	101 59

**Highways.**

## RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	550 09	
Appropriation	3,580 59	
	—	4,130 68

## EXPENDITURES.

J. T. Brackett, agent	4,130 68
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**Stone Bridge at West Village.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	2,500 00	
Appropriation	1,000 00	
Transferred from retaining walls at North Village	75 00	
	<u>      </u>	3,575 00

**EXPENDITURES**

J. W. Robbe, for committee		3,550 00
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		<u>25 00</u>

**Retaining Walls at Bridge, North Village.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901		963 00
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**EXPENDITURES**

C. W. Hunter, for committee	805 25	
Transferred to stone bridge at West Village	75 00	
	<u>      </u>	880 25
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		<u>82 75</u>

**Wall on Granite Street.****RECEIPTS.**

Appropriation		350 00
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**EXPENDITURES.**

Joseph Jarvais, by contract	230 00	
J. E. Howe, labor	13 10	
J. T. Brackett, towards railing	106 90	
	<u>      </u>	350 00

**Electric Lights.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	31 43	
Appropriation	1,650 00	
Appropriation for additional lights	350 00	
	<u>      </u>	2,031 43

**EXPENDITURES.**

Peterboro Electric Light, Power & Heat Co.		1,801 16
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		<u>230 27</u>

**Fire Department.****RECEIPTS.**

Appropriation		500 00
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## EXPENDITURES.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	82 28	
H. F. Nichols & Son, teams to fire	4 00	
Nichols Bros., repairing pipe	6 65	
D. M. White, insurance	20 00	
Henry K. Barnes, hose	75 00	
Arthur R. Field, treasurer Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1	54 36	
E. M. Robbins, steward	23 55	
F. E. Russell, salary as chief	35 00	
Alvin Townsend, team	2 00	
C. A. Baldwin, treasurer Hose Co. No. 1	62 00	
H. B. Needham, wood	1 25	
J. F. Hannon, Hose Co. No. 2	37 08	
J. R. Miller & Son, oil	2 25	
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		405 42
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902	94 58	

**Paupers.**

## RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	87 80	
Appropriation	400 00	
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		487 80

## EXPENDITURES.

S. W. Nichols, overseer	487 80	
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**Putnam Grove.**

## RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	198 20	
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## EXPENDITURES.

H. T. Cram, labor	14 55	
John Murry, lumber, nails, labor	35 77	
Nichols Bros., pump	7 70	
Peterboro Electric Light, Power & Heat Co.	35 00	
		<hr/>
		93 02
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902	105 18	

**Pine Hill Cemetery.**

## RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	590 68	
Sale of lots	77 00	
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		667 68

## EXPENDITURES.

Nichols Bros., pipe, watering pots	33 20	
George H. Foote, labor	57 79	
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		90 99
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902	576 69	



**Sheep Killed by Dogs.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	316 07	
License on dogs	318 28	
	<hr/>	634 35

**EXPENDITURES.**

Charles H. Knight, sheep injured	3 00	
E. A. Robbins, police of dogs	15 00	
Transferred by vote to schools	316 07	
	<hr/>	334 07
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		300 28

**Board of Trade.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	210 13
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**EXPENDITURES.**

Nothing	
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902	210 13

**Board of Health.****RECEIPTS.**

Transferred by vote from incidentals	200 00
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**EXPENDITURES.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	97 42	
B. L. Talbot, treasurer	78 69	
	<hr/>	176 11
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		23 89

**Repairs on Town House.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	233 55
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**EXPENDITURES.**

S. D. Porter, repairing roof	4 22
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902	229 33

**Repairs in Village Cemetery.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	41
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**EXPENDITURES.**

Nothing	
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902	41

**Care of Cemetery Lots Having Trust Funds.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	5 31	
Interest on D. B. Cutter fund	30 00	
	<u>          </u>	35 31

**EXPENDITURES.**

J. F. Brennan, markers	12 25	
Smith Bros., lawn mower, cutter, shears	4 50	
James Leslie, labor	18 34	
On the following lots :	<u>          </u>	35 09
William M. White	\$1 24	
Job Hill	1 00	
Sargent Bohonan	1 00	
D. B. Cutter	1 00	
Samuel C. Oliver	1 00	
Rachel P. Follansbee	1 00	
Dr. D. M. Parker	1 12	
B. L. Winn	50	
O. J. Nutting	1 00	
Jesse Upton	1 00	
John E. Parker	1 00	
Lucretia Brackett	1 00	
Lewis Johnson	1 24	
William S. Treadwell	62	
Myron W. Eaton	50	
Martha L. Farnum	1 50	
C. P. Richardson	1 00	
Reuben Washburn	1 00	
John S. Treadwell	62	
	<u>          </u>	
	\$18 34	
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902 .		22

**Town Water System.****RECEIPTS.**

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	1,079 18	
Appropriation to extend on High Street	600 00	
Water Commissioners on account	2,023 39	
	<u>          </u>	3,702 57

**EXPENDITURES.**

Transferred by vote to Town Water System debt and interest	1,125 00
Nichols Bros., pipe etc., for extension on High Street	354 81

Nichols Bros., labor on extension on High Street	172 00	
Ludlow Valve Manufacturing Co., " "	52 20	
Alvin Townsend, unloading pipe " "	10 00	
Nichols Bros., service, labor, pipe etc.,	248 91	
S. Anderson & Son, lumber and labor	7 08	
Phoenix Factory, pipe	9 17	
Neptune Meter Co., meters	15 60	
George Wait Cummings, printing	6 00	
Smith Bros., wheelbarrow	2 25	
E. W. Jones, money paid out by Commissioners	20 58	
Nichols Bros., labor	16 05	
E. W. Jones, salary and services of commissioners	165 00	
	<hr/>	2,204 65
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		1,497 92

### Sewer on Elm Street.

#### RECEIPTS

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	44 49
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#### EXPENDITURES.

Nothing	
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902	44 49

### Town Officers.

#### RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	61 36	
Appropriation	700 00	
Transferred from incidentals	600 00	
	<hr/>	1,361 36

#### EXPENDITURES.

C. H. Foster, sexton	183 00
B. L. Talbot, health officer	25 00
D. M. White, " "	25 00
C. A. Jaquith, " "	25 00
W. G. Livingston, auditor	5 00
C. A. Jaquith, "	5 00
G. A. Hamilton, "	5 00
H. T. Buckland, police	35 00
Alvin Townsend, "	25 00
Charles F. Miller, "	15 00
A. J. Walbridge, special police, July 4	2 00
Charles Hagan, " "	2 00
Charles E. Pickering, " "	2 00



E. D. Putnam, special police, July 4	2 00	
O. D. Bagley, " "	2 00	
Robert Niblock, " "	2 00	
F. E. Russell, " "	2 00	
J. W. Smith, " "	2 00	
Arthur H. Miller, supervisor	5 00	
Arthur P. Smith, " "	5 00	
George W. Ames, " "	5 00	
E. H. Taylor, school board	33 33	
William Moore, " "	33 33	
Elsie E. Hunt, " "	16 67	
Nellie F. Cummings, school treasurer	15 00	
F. G. Field, collector of taxes	200 00	
George Cragin, liquor agent	250 00	
L. P. Wilson, treasurer	75 00	
J. H. Steele, town clerk	65 67	
W. A. Knight, selectman 1900	4 00	
S. W. Vose, selectman	82 00	
E. M. Smith, " "	132 29	
W. G. Hunter, " "	102 22	
E. A. Robbins, special police, July 4	2 00	
H. T. Buckland, truant officer appointed by school board	8 62	
	<hr/>	1,399 13
Balance against this account Feb. 15, 1902		37 77

### Incidentals.

#### RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	1,085 24	
State of New Hampshire, insurance tax	331 50	
" " " " railroad tax	843 84	
" " " " savings bank tax	2,308 01	
Billard and pool table licenses	70 00	
E. M. Smith, justice police court	65 24	
George Cragin, liquor agent	250 00	
J. R. Miller & Son, rent of store	200 00	
Walbridge & Taylor, " "	400 00	
H. T. Cram, janitor town hall	475 00	
Shows, license	10 00	
Temple, one-half stone posts on town line	3 75	
Watering trough, sold	1 50	
County, costs returned	39 57	
H. T. Cram, use of piano	25 00	
	<hr/>	3,108 65

## EXPENDITURES.

Transferred by vote to Board of Health	200 00
“ “ “ “ Town Officers	600 00
“ “ “ “ Water System debt and interest	3,000 00
Transferred by vote to town debt	500 00
Returning marriages, births and deaths :	
W. H. Branigan, 4 marriages	1 00
J. P. O'Neil 8 “	2 00
B. L. Talbot 1 “	25
C. H. Cutler, 16 births, 22 deaths	9 50
H. M. Morse 17 “ 12 “	7 25
C. W. Harrington 7 “ 9	4 00
B. L. Talbot 11 “ 7	4 50
Curtis A. Wood 2 “ 2	1 00
D. M. White, insurance on town hall	58 05
R. B. Hatch “ “ “	67 50
E. W. Jones “ “ “	65 89
D. M. White “ on tool house and tools	12 00
George Wait Cummings, printing reports, notices, etc.	116 75
George Wait Cummings, town invoice, etc.	76 85
Frank A. Guay, plans and specifications, sewers	113 90
E. W. Jones, surveying for sewer system	45 00
George P. Dustan, signal flags	10 65
George P. Dustan, postage stamps	1 00
J. L. Greenleaf, services and expenses in liquor cases	223 01
Nichols Bros., putting water in old academy	47 78
E. G. Clement, moving settees to grove for band concert	3 25
Nathaniel Doane, services and expenses in criminal cases	53 10
Julia A. Ames' heirs, running water through her land	5 00
F. H. Coffin & Co., rubber stamp	55
Hugh McCanna, damage to wagon on highway	3 00
Jeffrey Shea, services and expenses in criminal cases	105 00
George H. Foote, labor in Hill cemetery	8 00
George H. Foote, labor in Village cemetery	19 99
W. G. Hunter, services in searches	6 00
F. G. Field, postage as collector of taxes	15 50
Charles F. Miller, repairs on watering tub	1 25
N. M. Coolidge, damage to crockery on highway	3 71
W. G. Hunter, paid witnesses	15 85
H. F. Nichols & Son, teams	1 00
Nichols Bros., labor on watering troughs	3 16
Nichols Bros., wood and repairing pipes in hall	15 25
Smith Bros., locks for Miller's and Segel's stores	7 74
A. L. Holt, repairing hearse	11 25

E. W. Jones, use of Unitarian bell	10 00	
J. F. D'Orsay, repairing lock for lobby	75	
A. F. Grimes, care of town clock	25 00	
C. H. Burns, services in Betz case, 1898	24 00	
J. T. Brackett, labor on water pipe, falls	12 00	
G. M. Kettelle, making copies town warrant for years	5 00	
George Wait Cummings, printing	14 50	
H. T. Cram, services as janitor of hall	192 40	
H. T. Cram, paid for wood, etc.	80 44	
J. H. Steele, paper, pens, books, etc.	4 30	
Walbridge & Taylor, wood	4 50	
	<hr/>	5,819 37
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		289 28

### Recapitulation.

Orders drawn during the year ending Feb. 15, 1902 :

Schools	5,729 76	
Repairs on school houses	150 00	
School books and supplies	550 00	
Physical culture in schools	200 00	
Grand Army	100 00	
Town Library	771 84	
Building new highway at West Village	101 59	
Highways	4,130 68	
Stone bridge at West Village	3,550 00	
Wall on Granite street	350 00	
Retaining walls at bridge, North Village	805 25	
Fire Department	323 14	
Electric Lights	1,801 16	
Paupers	487 80	
Putnam Grove	93 02	
Pine Hill Cemetery	90 99	
Sheep killed by dogs	18 00	
Board of Health	78 69	
Repairs on town house	4 22	
Care of cemetery lots having trust funds	35 09	
Town water system	1,079 65	
Town officers	1,399 13	
Incidentals	1,519 37	
	<hr/>	23,369 38

### Fund for Paying Water System Debt and Interest.

#### RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	198 09	
Transferred by vote from incidentals	3,000 00	
Transferred by vote from water system	1,125 00	
	<hr/>	4,323 09



## EXPENDITURES.

Bonds paid	3,000 00	
Coupons paid	847 50	
	<hr/>	3,847 50
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		475 59

**Fund for Paying Town Debt and Interest.**

## RECEIPTS.

Balance Feb. 15, 1901	666 84	
Appropriation	1,000 00	
From money in treasury, by vote	1,500 00	
Transferred by vote from incidentals	500 00	
	<hr/>	3,666 84

## EXPENDITURES.

Refunding bonds paid	500 00	
Coupons paid	696 00	
Interest paid on notes	182 77	
	<hr/>	1,378 77
Balance due this account Feb. 15, 1902		2,288 07

**Tax Collector's Accounts.**

F. G. FIELD, Collector in account with the Town of Peterborough.

## DR.

To uncollected taxes Feb. 15, 1901—1900 list	1,443 12	
Interest collected	47 96	
	<hr/>	1,491 08

## CR.

Paid treasurer	1,457 61	
Abated	33 47	
	<hr/>	1,491 08

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To tax list, April 1, 1901	24,348 04	
To tax after April 1, 1901	59 70	
Interest collected	10 50	
	<hr/>	24,418 24

## CR.

Paid treasurer	22,872 10	
Abated	140 33	
Uncollected Feb. 15, 1902	1,405 81	
	<hr/>	24,418 24

**Abatements.**

Abated from F. G. Field's list for 1900 :

Abbie A. McGilvray, charity	2 40
Alvah Puffer's estate, error in interest money	6 83
Wesley Atwood	1 80
Sarah K. Austin, charity	2 70
Silas Blanchard, left town	1 80
James E. Clinton, paid in Greenville	1 80
Everett L. Cram, paid in Mass.	1 80
Ambrose Donas, charity	3 15
Joseph Goodrich, charity	25
James G. Lawrence, left town	3 24
Charles A. Stanyan, land sold	1 80
James Kershaw, paid in Mass.	1 80
Frank A. Seaver, land sold	1 15
Albert T. Austin, charity	1 15
A. T. Hawksworth, out of state	1 80

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Abated from F. G. Field's list for 1901 :

G. F. Diamond, watering trough	3 00
W. H. Caldwell, " "	3 00
Mary E. Holt, " "	3 00
Charles H. Weeks, " "	3 00
J. E. Livesey, over valuation on real estate	1 70
George E. Nye, error in real estate	3 40
G. S. Morison, real estate sold	8 50
Edwin N. Fish, over 70	1 70
Fred B. Thompson, charity	17 00
John D. Hannon, over valuation real estate	3 40
Edwin G. Piper, charity, insane	1 70
J. G. Morrill, horse taxed in Antrim	85
O. K. Fairbanks, horse taxed in Dublin	1 27
D. P. Emery, real estate sold	1 70
Frank J. Robbins, error in stock in trade	5 10
Abigail Blanchard, charity	4 59
Silas Blanchard, left town	1 70
Philip Britton, in jail	1 70
John B. Carpenter,	85
Eugene Carpenter, error	1 70
James E. Clinton, paid in Greenville	1 70
Everett L. Cram, paid in Massachusetts	1 70
George E. Davis, charity	5 95
Ambrose Donas " "	2 55
William B. Driscoll, paid in Massachusetts	1 70
Joseph Dube, paid in Lawrence	1 70
William Fuller, not found	1 70
Joseph Goodrich, charity	1 70

Will Hopkins, paid in Greenfield	1 70
J. Henry Howard, left town	2 12
Perley Howard " "	1 70
Fred Howard " "	1 70
John Jerriek " "	1 70
Herbert Morelock, paid in Massachusetts	1 70
Edwin A. Patch, left town	2 21
Charles E. Pickering, paid in Richmond	1 70
Mary Ragan, charity	3 57
E. E. Randell, left town	2 38
William H. Scott, charity	11 05
Frederick W. Smith, paid in Massachusetts	1 70
Charles Spence, minor	1 70
Bernard St. John, left town	1 70
Timothy Thomas	1 70
Clarence A. White	1 70
Fred M. White, paid in Massachusetts	1 70
H. V. White, left town	1 70
Samuel R. Howe, charity	2 12
John Morris, over valuation real estate	2 12
Michael Meegan " " "	1 70
Ralph W. Ollis, left state	1 70
Otis Pratt, paid in Greenville	1 70

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### Abstract of the Annual Invoice and Assessment of Taxes for 1901.

Polls,	623	62,300 00
Value of real estate		944,765 00
Horses,	498	28,190 00
Oxen,	7	400 00
Cows,	533	14,586 00
Neat stock,	220	4,471 00
Sheep,	69	225 00
Hogs,	2	20 00
Fowls		392 00
Carriages		4,300 00
Public funds		6,500 00
Bank stock		56,954 00
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit		100,258 00
Stock in trade		83,975 00
Mills and machinery		124,900 00
		<hr/> 1,432,236 00
Town appropriations		24,214 43
Added for abatements		133 61
		<hr/> 24,348 04
Rate of taxation, \$17.00 on \$1000		
Assessed after April, \$59.70.		



### Appropriations and Expenditures.

ACCOUNTS.	Appropriations and Receipts.	Expenditures and Transfers	Unexpended	Deficiency	Appropriation recommended
Schools . . . . .	5,729 76	5,729 76			*5,000 00
Repairs, school houses . .	150 00	150 00			
School books & supplies . .	550 00	550 00			
Physical culture, schools . .	200 00	200 00			
Grand Army . . . . .	100 00	100 00			100 00
Town library . . . . .	883 70	771 84	111 86		800 00
Building new highway W. Village . . . . .		101 59		101 59	
Highways . . . . .	4,130 68	4,130 68			A
Stone bridge W. Village . .	3,575 00	3,550 00	25 00		
Wall on Granite Street . .	350 00	350 00			
Retaining Walls, bridge, North Village . . . . .	963 00	880 25	82 75		
Fire Department . . . . .	500 00	405 42	94 58		450 00
Electric Lights . . . . .	2,031 43	1,801 16	230 27		
Paupers . . . . .	487 80	487 80			400 00
Putnam Grove . . . . .	198 20	93 02	105 18		
Pine Hill Cemetery . . . .	667 68	90 99	576 69		
Sheep killed by dogs . . .	634 35	334 07	300 28		
Board of Trade . . . . .	210 13		210 13		
Board of Health . . . . .	200 00	176 11	23 89		
Repairs on Town House . .	233 55	4 22	229 33		
Repairs in Village Cem- etery . . . . .	41		41		
Care Cemetery lots hav- ing trust funds . . . .	35 31	35 09	22		
Town Water system . . . .	3,702 57	2,204 65	1,497 92		
Sewer on Elm street . . . .	44 49		44 49		
Town officers . . . . .	1,361 36	1,399 13		37 77	B 700 00
Incidentals . . . . .	6,108 65	5,819 37	289 28		
Fund payment water system debt and int. . .	4,323 09	3,847 50			
Fund payment town debt and interest . . . . .	3,666 84	1,378 77	2,288 07		

\*Literary fund and balance to account sheep killed by dogs.

A Amount required by law.

B Transfer from incidentals \$700.

**Liabilities and Resources of the Town, Feb. 15, 1902.****LIABILITIES.**

Refunding bonds	25,300 00
Interest on same at 4 per cent. to Feb. 15	116 50
Coupons due and unpaid	392 00
Water Works bonds	35,600 00
Interest on same at 3 per cent. to Feb. 15	133 50
Coupons due and unpaid	459 00
Orders due and unpaid	845 78
Trust funds	4,896 17
	———— 67,742 95

**RESOURCES.**

Money in treasury	4,459 22
Execution against J. F. Noone	44 80
Uncollected taxes	1,405 81
Liquor in hands of agent	100 94
Trust funds	4,896 17
	———— 10,906 94

**Insurance on Town Property.**

<b>Amt. of Insurance.</b>	<b>Property Insured.</b>	<b>When Expiring</b>
10,000 00	Town Hall	July 1, 1902
1,500 00	“	July 2, 1902
3,000 00	“	Aug. 11, 1902
1,600 00	Fire Department	Feb. 25, 1903
800 00	Tool House and Tools	Feb. 1, 1903

S. W. VOSE, }  
 E. M. SMITH, } Selectmen  
 W. G. HUNTER, } of  
 Peterborough.

## POLICE COURT REPORT.

TO THE SELECTMEN OF PETERBOROUGH, GENTLEMEN :—I herewith submit my report as Police Justice of the town of Peterborough.

## Dr.

To fees in civil cases	2 00	
Received for blanks sold	1 00	
“ fees in criminal cases	47 49	
“ fines in criminal cases	167 50	
	<hr/>	217 99

## Cr.

By 9½ months' salary to Feb. 15	118 75	
E. W. Jones, services as special justice	26 00	
G. W. Cummings, printing blanks	8 00	
Paid selectmen	65 24	
	<hr/>	217 99

Respectfully submitted,

EZRA M. SMITH, Justice of Police Court.

**Report of the Committee on Trust Funds,  
Feb. 15, 1902.**

The Funds held by the town in trust are invested as follows :

The Osgood Fund of \$1000 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be devoted to the aid of the worthy poor.

The Parker fund of \$100 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the burial lot in which Dr. David M. Parker and others are buried.

The Selinda Holt Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the Job Hill burial lot.

The Daniel B. Cutter Fund of \$300 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the Daniel B. Cutter burial lot.

The Lucretia Brackett Fund of \$300 was deposited in the Contoocook Valley Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the Lucretia Brackett burial lot. The bank is in the hands of a receiver, and we have received a dividend of \$163.42 which is deposited in the New Hampshire Savings Bank of Concord, N. H.

The Jesse Upton Fund of \$200 is deposited in the New Hampshire Savings Bank of Concord, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the Jesse Upton burial lot.

The Lewis Johnson Fund of \$50 is deposited in the New Hampshire Savings Bank of Concord, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the Lewis Johnson burial lot.

The Benjamin L. Winn Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Manchester Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the cemetery.

The Charles P. Richardson Fund of \$200 is deposited in the Manchester Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the Charles P. Richardson burial lot.

The Abbie S. White Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Manchester Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the William F. White burial lot.

The Jane Treadwell Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Manchester Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the William S. Treadwell burial lot.

The John E. Parker Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Amoskeag Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the John E. Parker burial lot.

The Moses W. Oliver Fund of \$100 is deposited in the New Hampshire Savings Bank of Concord, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the Samuel C. Oliver burial lot.

The Henry Washburn Fund of \$250 is deposited in the Amoskeag Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H., and the interest is to be used in the care of the Reuben Washburn burial lot.

The Henry Washburn Fund of \$250 is deposited in the Amoskeag Savings Bank of Manchester, N. H., and the interest is to be used for the Peterborough Town Library.

The Rachel P. Follansbee Fund of \$50 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the Rachel P. Follansbee burial lot.

The Sargent Bohonan Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the Sargent Bohonan burial lot.

The Oliver L. Nutting Fund of \$50 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the Oliver L. Nutting burial lot.

The Myron W. Eaton Fund of \$50 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the Myron W. Eaton burial lot.

The Martha L. Farnum Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the lot in which she and her husband are buried.

The Lucy K. Treadwell Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the cemetery lot in which she and her husband are buried.

The Susan R. Lee Fund of \$25 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the Susan R. Lee burial lot.



The Helen M. Young Fund of \$100 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be used in the care of the James Nay and Helen M. Young burial lot.

The Malinda Upton Fund of \$1,171 17 is deposited in the Peterborough Savings Bank, and the interest is to be paid worthy poor maiden ladies of Peterborough not paupers.

This is the second annual report of this committee, which was appointed by vote of the town in 1909 to have charge of these funds and the carrying out of their provisions. Such attention as the cemetery lots required the past year has been given them.

EZRA M. SMITH,	} Committee.
JAMES F. BRENNAN,	
LEWIS P. WILSON,	

## LIQUOR AGENT'S REPORT.

George Cragin, Liquor Agent, in account with the town of Peterborough.

### Dr.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1901	21 11	
Received from sale of liquors	1,225 23	
Received from sale of barrels and jugs	7 85	
	<u>          </u>	1,254 19

### Cr.

Paid for liquors	1,012 62	
“ “ jugs and barrels	13 45	
“ “ freight and cartage	8 50	
“ “ postage, stationery, kerosene	2 30	
“ to selectmen	250 00	
	<u>          </u>	1,286 87
Due agent		<u>32 68</u>

## LIQUORS PURCHASED.

88.40 gallons	Alcohol	251 94
114	" Whiskey	364 80
24 $\frac{3}{4}$	" Gin	86 63
4	" Brandy	29 00
20	" Old Rum	60 00
4	" Port Wine	10 00
20 doz. bottles	G. O. B. Whiskey	192 00
2 "	" Porter	6 25
4 "	" Ale	12 00
		<hr/> 1,012 62

## SALES.

No.	Sales		
633	594	1-2 pints Alcohol	258 39
749	726	6-8 " Whiskey	377 52
232	218	" Gin	119 85
43	27	1-2 " Brandy	27 50
139	159	" Old Rum	79 50
9	11	" Cherry Rum	5 50
6	6	1-4 " Sherry Wine	3 12
3	2	" Port Wine	1 00
33	45	bottles Porter	15 75
261	261	" G. O. B. Whiskey	326 25
24	31	" Ale	10 85
			<hr/> 1,225 23

## LIQUORS ON HAND FEB. 15, 1902.

16 gallons,	2	pints	Alcohol	45 96
14 "	2	quarts, 1 1-2 "	Whiskey	47 00
	1	" 3 gills	Gin	55
	2	" 1 "	Brandy	4 60
2 "	3	"	Old Rum	8 25
	2	" 3-4 "	Cherry Rum	1 60
2 "	1	"	Sherry Wine	5 32
2 "			Port Wine	6 00
12 bottles			Porter	3 12
28 "			Ale	7 28
1 gallon, 2 pints, 1 gill			Angelica Wine	3 94
				<hr/> 133 62

GEORGE CRAGIN.

HILLSBOROUGH SS., Feb. 15, 1902.

Personally appeared the above named George Cragin and made oath that the foregoing report subscribed by him is in his belief true.

Before

EZRA M. SMITH,

Justice of the Peace.

## REPORT OF PIANO AGENT.

H. T. CRAM in account with Piano :

## RECEIPTS.

May 25, J. C. Rockwell	6 00	
" 29, Frank W. Nason	2 00	
Sept. 10, A. L. Scammon	2 00	
Oct. 5, Court Monadnock, No. 28, F of A	6 00	
" 12, Florence Corbin Co.	6 00	
Dec. 20, Junior Class of P. H. S.	2 00	
Jan. 10, Young people St. Peter's parish	2 00	
Feb. 5, Lucky 7	2 00	
" 14, Cummings & Drake	2 00	
	—	30 00

## EXPENDITURES.

June 6, 1901, Paid F. E. Leonard for tuning	2 50	
Nov. 20 " " " " " "	2 50	
	—	5 00
Paid selectmen		25 00

H. T. CRAM, Agent.

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT.

J. T. BRACKETT, in account with the town of Peterborough.

## RECEIPTS.

Cash of selectmen	4,130 68	
Cash of selectmen on account of wall on Granite Street	106 90	
Cash of Mrs. Cheney for shovels	4 00	
" " Jennie S. Scott, iron pipe	18 37	
" " " " lumber	8 96	
" " George S. Morison, iron grates	6 00	
	—	4,274 91

## EXPENDITURES.

J. T. Brackett, Agent, 1871 $\frac{3}{4}$ hours labor at 20c.	374 35
Man and team 851 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " " 35	298 13
" " " 131 " " " 40	52 40
One horse 1446 " " " 10	144 60
Man 61 " " " 15	9 15
Supplies	1 94

Homer Jarvis,	labor	4 05
Michael Meegan	"	21 00
C. N. Foster	"	17 32
James Burke	"	50 40
E. W. Cass	"	285 17
August Duval	"	129 60
Jerry Homo	"	27 15
Will Hill	"	197 92
John Thomas	"	2 25
W. A. Knight	"	255 14
C. E. Parker	"	5 33
James Condon	"	16 50
Lyman Parker	"	12 30
Joe Girard	"	17 10
S. Blanchard	"	6 00
Charles Huot	"	69 75
George Hill	"	57 50
C. H. Weeks	"	186 50
Longley Bros.	"	6 79
J. F. Dunklee, for poles		10 00
Oliver Lord,	labor	7 90
James Green	"	111 30
Joseph Moran	"	3 00
C. B. Davis	"	80 40
Tim Thomas	"	152 85
J. F. Varnum	"	6 95
F. J. Ames	"	13 40
Barney Le Britton	"	1 20
C. W. Carll	"	52 35
J. Ernest Townsend	"	1 95
John E. May	"	32 59
C. F. Miller	"	14 30
Geo. F. Kendall	"	75
Alvin Townsend, stringers, etc.		299 27
M. E. Osborn,	labor	297 17
Smith & Forbes, iron pipe		126 04
Chas. M. Smith,	labor	24 00
John Sounier	"	12 75
C. S. Dunbar	"	39 30
A. T. Hovey, lumber and labor		43 22
R. H. Wilder,	labor	1 35
Israel Green	"	15 00
James Sounier	"	1 20
W. T. Flint	"	7 20
O. C. Holt	"	3 05
E. P. Vose	"	3 45
Ernest Young, for road machine		20 00
Charles W. Hunter, labor		47 20



A. B. Austin, for stone	35 00
W. A. Sumner, labor	3 00
William France "	1 50
C. S. Mitchell "	11 20
F. S. Stacey "	2 32
Walbridge & Taylor, shovels	11 00
Charles Sheldon, pick and shovel	1 20
Boston Steam Speciality, tees, ells	20 14
Nichols Bros., drain pipe and drinking cups	225 63
S. W. Townsend, labor	3 44
David Dube, concreting	99 97
Fred E. Bragdon, labor	8 94
E. A. Robbins & Son, labor and repairs	33 44
Concord Foundry & Co., grates	16 80
G. W. Farrar & Son, repairs	44 84
J. N. Hunt	10 68
F. A. Clement	3 00
A. Dufield	3 00
James Hill	3 00
D. M. White	2 00
A. E. Fish	2 51
J. B. Shedd	1 30
J. M. Mears	2 00
Barnard Magovern	3 00
James C. Naglie	4 65
C. A. Jaquith, road machine knives	20 00
Charles M. Moore, labor	4 50
Geo. P. Cummings	4 00
T. N. Hunt, bridge stringers	12 00
Frank Robbe, labor	2 25
Smith Bros., supplies	6 30
George W. Marden	4 10
A. W. Spaulding	2 70
	<hr/> 4,286 89

Due the Agent Feb. 15, 1902

11 98

J. T. BRACKETT, Agent.

## LIST OF PRICES PAID.

Man and team on Road Machine, Roller and Ploughing roads	40 cents per hour
Man and team, carting, etc.	35 " " "
Two horses without man on Road Machine and Roller	25 " " "
One horse	10, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 15 " " "
One man	15 " " "

## TOOLS IN AGENT'S HANDS.

3 Road Machines,	3 Steel bars,
1 Snow roller,	1 Wrench,
4 Snow plows,	3 Stone hammers,
1 Hoe,	2 Snow shovels,
4 Stone pickers,	15 Drills,
3 Potato diggers,	1 Post spoon,
3 Picks,	1 Mattox,
7 Shovels,	1 Ice chisel,
3 Rakes,	2 Gravel screens,
1 Bridge auger,	2 Wheelbarrows,
1 Lantern,	50 feet Hose,
1 Bush scythe,	1 Ladder.
Lot small drills, wedges, etc.,	

## REPORT OF JANITOR OF TOWN HALL.

H. T. Cram in account with the Town of Peterborough.

## RECEIPTS.

Feb.	15,	Lucky Seven, for dance	10 00
	"	" 1 hour extra lighting	2 00
Feb.	23,	Linn's variety show	30 00
March	22,	G. P. Dustan, lecture	7 00
April	8,	Court Monadnock, No. 28, F. of A., for dance	10 00
		Court Monadnock, 1 hour extra lighting	2 00
April	17,	Burns & Appleton's Orchestra, for dance	10 00
May	10,	St. Peter's Catholic church, for dance,	8 00
"	13,	Clinton A. Paine, for show	10 00
"	25,	J. C. Rockwell, for show	60 00
"	29,	Frank W. Nason, for show	10 00
June	15,	Graduating class of High school for lighting	2 00
"	23,	G. P. Dustan, lecture	5 00
Sept.	6,	Base Ball club, for dance	8 00
"	10,	A. L. Scammon, for show	16 00
"	20,	St. Peter's Catholic church 2 hours lighting	4 00
Oct.	5,	Court Monadnock, No. 28, F. of A.	60 00
"	12,	Florence Corbin, show	60 00
"	19,	G. P. Dustan, lecture	7 00
"	30,	Cornet Band for dance	10 00
	"	" 2 hours extra lighting	4 00
	"	" Banquet Hall	2 00

Nov.	13, G. P. Dustan, lecture	7 00
"	18, Peterboro Grange, No. 35, P. of H.	7 00
"	25, Post 6, G. A. R., for heating hall	10 00
"	30, Howard Booker, show	12 00
Dec.	11, Heating hall for Grangers	6 00
"	13, G. P. Dustan, lecture	7 00
"	14, Lucier's Novelty Co.	12 00
"	20, Junior class of P. H. S., for social	13 00
Jan.	10, The young people connected with St. Peter's parish, dance	10 00
"	25, Peterboro Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock association	15 00
"	29, W. R. C. and S. of V., heating and lighting	6 00
Feb.	5, Lucky Seven, for social dance	10 00
"	" " 2 hours extra lighting	4 00
"	12, G. P. Dustan, lecture	7 00
"	14, Cummings & Drake, show	12 00

475 00

## CASH EXPENDED.

E. J. Thompson, 2 hours extra lighting	3 00
Joe Simoneau, for sawing and putting in wood	2 25
E. J. Thompson, 1 hour extra lighting	1 50
Ed. Clement, carting	25
Anderson & Son, kindling	50
E. J. Thompson, 1 hour extra lighting	1 50
Ed. Clement, carting	25
E. J. Thompson, 2 hours extra lighting	3 00
Fred Grimes, curtain bell	1 00
Joe Simoneau, sawing and putting in wood	4 50
Ed. Clement, carting	25
Rodney Wilder, for wood	18 00
E. J. Thompson, 2 hours extra lighting	3 00
E. J. Thompson, 1 hour	1 50
Walbridge & Taylor, wood	8 50
Joe Simoneau, sawing and putting in wood	3 00
E. J. Thompson, 1-2 hour extra lighting	75
F. E. Holbrook, washing table cloths	1 00
Mrs. H. T. Cram, washing floors and settees 15 hours	2 25
E. J. Thompson, 3 hours extra lighting	4 50
Ed. Clement, carting	25
Walbridge & Taylor, wood and supplies for hall	16 30
S. Anderson & Son, repairs on stage and kindling	2 64
H. F. Nichols, duster	50
A. H. Miller, toilet paper	25
H. T. Cram, 962 hours labor at 20 cents	192 40
Paid Selectmen	202 16

475 00

H. T. CRAM, Janitor.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

Dr.		
Received from selectmen		78 69
Cr.		
H. F. Nichols		5 25
A. P. Fitch		6 50
Flora J. Tubbs		33 00
Mrs. Abbie McGilvray		10 00
J. R. Miller & Son		5 35
George L. Forbush		6 56
J. R. Miller & Son		75
George Wait Cummings		1 25
C. W. Harrington		2 00
D. M. White		30
B. L. Talbot		7 73
		<hr/> 78 69
D. M. WHITE, BERTELL L. TALBOT M. D., C. A. JAQUITH,		} Board of Health.

## WATER COMMISSIONERS' SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT.

Dr.		
Cash on hand as per last report		3 00
Received from July rates		823 99
"    "    Jan.    "		854 79
"    "    meter    "		334 51
"    "    miscellaneous		7 10
		<hr/> 2,023 39
Cr.		
Paid Selectmen		2,023 39
E. W. JONES, T. B. TUCKER, A. J. WALBRIDGE,		} Water Commissioners.

REPORT OF BRIDGE COMMITTEE AT  
WEST VILLAGE.

RECEIPTS.		
Cash of Selectmen		3,550 00
Cash of retaining wall committee at North Village		3 68
		<hr/> 3,553 68



## EXPENDITURES.

Union Publishing Co.	11 03	
Charles W. Hunter	74 43	
Stone & Thurston, by contract	3,200 00	
Paul Burke	23 53	
A. Townsend	8 40	
Edward Fairfield	75	
J. T. Brackett	75 85	
Walworth M. F. C. Co.	59 99	
George Wait Cummings	1 50	
Nashua Press Association	2 63	
George W. Farrar & Son	2 55	
Charles Donovan	7 00	
Boston & Maine, R. R.	1 20	
Patsey O'Connor	2 25	
Walter Morris	4 00	
William France	75	
Edward McShane	2 40	
A. B. Austin	27 00	
E. W. Jones	6 25	
Nichols Bros.	3 50	
John W. Robbe	14 00	
Samuel Anderson	20 00	
Cash on hand to balance	4 67	
		3,553 68

JOHN W. ROBBE, }  
 C. W. HUNTER, } Bridge  
 SAMUEL ANDERSON, } Committee.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RETAINING WALLS AT NORTH VILLAGE.

## RECEIPTS.

Cash of Selectmen	805 25
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## EXPENDITURES

Stone & Thurston, by contract	750 00	
Milton E. Osborn, labor	8 05	
Joel T. Brackett	3 50	
C. W. Hunter	34 50	
S. Anderson, committee and fare to Boston	9 20	
John W. Robbe, advertising	3 68	
		808 93
Due the committee		3 68

SAMUEL ANDERSON, }  
 C. W. HUNTER, } Bridge  
 } Committee.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR.

S. W. NICHOLS, Overseer, in account with the town of Peterborough.

Dr.		
Received of selectmen		487 80
Cr.		
Aid furnished Fred Murray		77 74
" " James Wilder		77 74
" " Timothy Sanders		70 00
" " George Townsend		104 00
" " Horace Whittemore		76 00
" " Oliver Lord		32 53
" " Tramps		41 25
One day with Commissioners		2 00
One trip to Nashua and two to Manchester to settle with Commissioners		13 66
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		494 92
Balance due Overseer Feb. 15, 1902		7 12

S. W. NICHOLS, Overseer of Poor.

## TOWN LIBRARY FINANCIAL REPORT.

Dr.		
Balance from last-year		12 54
Fines collected		35 86
Cards, book-lists, etc.		10 77
Book destroyed		1 25
		<hr/>
		60 42
Cr.		
Women's Temperance Publishing Co.		8 10
Express from Boston		85
Statesman 1899 and 1900		2 50
J. Leslie, sawing wood		1 25
Cumulative Index Co.		5 00
Statesman 1901		1 00
E. E. Coffin, incidentals		21 15
Balance on hand		20 57
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		60 42

C. W. HARRINGTON,	}	Library Committee.
E. W. JONES,		
A. H. MILLER,		

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT.

Lewis P. Wilson in account with the town of Peterborough.

Dr.

Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1901	8,257 38	
Received on deposit book, Savings Bank	155 32	
Interest on above	21 72	
	<hr/>	8,434 42

Received from Selectmen :

Cash, license for shows	10 00	
License for pool tables	70 00	
Stone posts	3 75	
Watering trough	1 50	
County Expense returned	39 57	
Interest on Cutter and Washburn Funds	37 62	
Police court	65 24	
Water works	2,023 39	
Use of piano	25 00	
Rent of Town Hall	475 00	
Liquor agency	250 00	
Rent of stores	600 00	
Proceeds of notes to First National Bank	10,000 00	
	<hr/>	13,601 07

Received from State Treasury :

Insurance tax	331 50	
Railroad tax	843 84	
Savings Bank tax	2,308 01	
Literary fund	213 69	
	<hr/>	3,695 04

Received from Town Clerk :

Pine Hill Cemetery lots	77 00	
License on dogs	318 28	
	<hr/>	395 28

Received from F. G. Field :

Tax 1900	1,409 65	
Interest	47 96	
	<hr/>	1,457 61
Tax 1901	22,861 60	
Interest	10 50	
	<hr/>	22,872 10
		<hr/>
		50,457 52

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Paid county tax	4,261 84	
State tax	2,822 00	
Notes in First National Bank	10,000 00	
Paid in. on same	182 77	
Water bonds	3,000 00	
"    "    coupons	847 50	
Refunding bonds	500 00	
"    "    coupons	696 00	
Selectmen's orders, 1900	1,164 59	
"    "    1901	22,523 60	
Cash in treasury	4,459 22	
	<hr/>	50,457 52

LEWIS P. WILSON, Town Treasurer.

We the undersigned, Auditors of town accounts for the town of Peterborough, hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Road Agent, Overseer of Poor, Water Commissioners, Liquor Agent, Justice of Police Court, Library Committee, Agent of Piano and Janitor of Town Hall, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

Peterborough, N. H., Feb. 19, 1902.

W. G. LIVINGSTON,	} Auditors of Town Accounts.
C. A. JAQUITH,	
GEO. A. HAMILTON,	



## LIBRARY REPORT.

Number of volumes reported Feb. 15, 1901	9,754
“ “ “ added during the year	386
“ “ “ worn out	12
“ “ “ destroyed and paid for	1
“ “ “ in the library at present	10,127
Acquired by purchase	198
“ “ gift	188

Periodicals bought for the reading room, 1901 :

MONTHLY—Ladies' Home Journal, Granite Monthly, New England Magazine, Outing, Review of Reviews, McClure's, Harper's Monthly, Scribner's, St. Nicholas, Forum, North American Review, Popular Science Monthly, Cosmopolitan, Century, American Kitchen Magazine, Harper's Bazar, Amateur Work, Carpentry and Building.

WEEKLY—Youth's Companion, Public Opinion, Nation, Harper's Weekly, Independent Statesman, New Hampshire Farmer, Mirror and Farmer, Scientific American, New York Tribune Farmer, Puck, Judge.

FORTNIGHTLY—Farm Poultry.

The following gifts are gratefully acknowledged: VOLS.

James Smith fund trustees	116
Hon. J. H. Gallinger	2
Mrs. Frank G. Clarke	9
Miss Wainwright, Boston	15
George S. Gates, Groton, Mass.	2
Miss E. H. Bailey, Boston	3
Oliver C. Holt	3
H. K. French	1
Mrs. Curtis Greenwood	1
Textile Publishing Co.	1
Hon. F. W. Rollins, Concord, N. H.	1
Deering Harvester Co.	1
Thomas F. O'Malley, Somerville, Mass.	1
Chas. H. Knight	1
Miss Mary Morrison	2
William H. Caldwell	1
W. P. Elkins, Wareham, Mass.	1
Alfred Hawksworth, Washington, D. C.	1
New Hampshire and United States public documents	26

### PERIODICALS GIVEN TO THE READING ROOM.

Peterboro Transcript, by G. W. Cummings; Union Signal, by the W. C. T. U.; Christian Register, by Peterboro Branch of Woman's Alliance; The Congregationalist, by the Ladies' Circle of the Union Congregational church; Christian Endeavor World, by the Christian Endeavor society; Hoard's Dairyman, by W. H. Caldwell; Bird Lore, by Miss Florence Austin; Woman's Home Companion, by Miss Alice Robbe; Sacred Heart Review, Salvation, Advocate of Peace, Western Society of Engineers, Good Roads Magazine, and Epworth Herald, by the publishers.

### LIBRARY PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

Monthly Bulletin, 49th Annual Report, 1900-'01, List of Important Books, 1900-'01, from the Boston Public Library; Monthly Bulletin, from Salem, Mass., Springfield, Mass., Dover, N. H., Nashua, N. H.; Annual Report, 1900-'01, from Manchester, N. H., Providence, R. I., Syracuse, N. Y.; Catalog from the Whitinsville, Mass. Social Library.

The request for old town reports and back numbers of the Transcript has been responded to during the year by Mrs. G. E. Hunt, Mrs. Julia Hovey, and J. F. Brennan, Esq. Also a valuable set of Monadnock R. R. reports which have been bound and put upon the shelves. But like the celebrated Oliver whom Dickens made famous we still want "more." Any number of the Transcript previous to 1874 and of the town reports previous to 1860, will be gratefully received. A pamphlet on Early Dublin has been given by Mr. S. C. Derby of Columbus, Ohio. Two pamphlets were given by Dr. Piper of Lexington, Mass.—History of the Battle of Lexington, and proceedings on the 121st Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington. From Mr. Geo. W. Ames we have received a copy of the Peterboro Directory, 1901. From Miss Ruth Field twelve numbers of the Ladies' Home Journal, 1901. From Mr. H. K. French twenty-two volumes mostly Mass. R. R. reports. Ninety government pamphlets have been classified and conveniently arranged for consultation.

### CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION.

General Works	168	Literature	486
Philosophy	58	History and Biography	994
Theology	88	Useful Arts	187
Sociology	162	Fine Arts	189
Natural Science	206	Periodicals	1,112
Fiction 9,071.			

Whole number of volumes issued during the year	12,721
Largest circulation in any one month (Jan. 1902)	1,324
Average daily circulation	35+
Reading room attendance during the year	9,986
Largest attendance during any one month (March 1901)	1,060
Average daily attendance	27+

Ten exhibitions of pictures have been given during the year. One from Miss Chandler of Lancaster, Mass., one amateur exhibit, and eight from the Library Art Club as follows: In March, Youth's Companion drawings, and photographs in May of Japan; in July, Sicily; in September, Nuremberg; in October, Assisi; in December, Oxford; in January, Munich; in February, Orvieto. The Sicily and Assisi pictures were rendered the more enjoyable by Miss Morison who kindly gave an informal talk at the time of the exhibition.

EVA E. COFFIN, Librarian.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

In making our annual report we are pleased to be able to present so favorable conditions and so fair an outlook. There have been hindrances and drawbacks, such as sickness of teachers in several schools, requiring in some cases a change of teachers; also interruptions in the schools of the Center village on account of scarlet fever and reported small pox. Yet in spite of all these, we can confidently say that never in our experience with the schools of Peterboro has their condition, as a whole, been as satisfactory as at present. This is of course mainly due to the teachers we have in our service. With only one or two exceptions they have proven earnest, faithful and efficient. We hope to be able to retain the services of most of them.

### PHYSICAL CULTURE.

For some years there have been urgent requests from many of our citizens that some form of physical culture be introduced into our schools. While recognizing the value of bodily training, there were many difficulties in the way. The military drill, which was enforced some years ago with its many excellencies, was open to some objections: It could only be conducted to advantage out of doors and of course in pleasant weather, it seemed not so well adapted to the girls as to the boys, and not at all adapted to the smaller children, and as a final objection, it took more time than could well be spared. Since the time that the military drill was dropped, the School Board has encouraged the teachers to introduce such physical exercises as they could into their school work, but only a few of them knew more than the simplest elements of any system, and, as a consequence, the result was fragmentary and unsatisfactory.

By a vote at the last school meeting appropriating two hundred dollars for physical culture, we have been enabled to introduce the training in a systematic and successful manner. Miss Alice E. Ward, a proficient in the Ling system, was engaged to take charge of the work in addition to her services in the High school as teacher of Latin and Greek. It was found better to place the lower schools under the charge of Miss Grimes while Miss Ward conducts the High school drill.

The teachers are unanimous and enthusiastic in their testimony to its good effects. The same exercises are now used throughout the town. The time taken is not missed. If the teacher sees that a dullness and languor is creeping over the children, she can in an instant call them to their feet, and by a few minutes' exercise start the blood to more active coursing and the brain to more vigorous effort.

#### HIGH SCHOOL.

The last legislature passed an act providing that any town not maintaining a High School shall pay the tuition of any child, who with parent or guardian resides in said town, and who attends a High School or academy in any other town or city in this state.

Sec. 4 of this act is as follows: "By the term High School or academy as used in this act, is understood a school having at least one four years' course, properly equipped, and teaching such subjects as are required for admission to college, technical school and normal school; such school or academy to be approved by the state superintendent of public instruction as complying with the requirements of this section."

To meet the requirements of this section and to place our High School upon a basis that should secure the approval of the state superintendent, it was deemed necessary to take certain forward steps. Accordingly, the faculty was strengthened by the employment of a third teacher and steps were taken to provide a physical and chemical laboratory. As there was no money in the school treasury that could be used for that purpose, Mrs. Field, with her customary enthusiasm, undertook to raise the necessary amount by subscription. By the ready help



of a few of our public spirited citizens this was soon accomplished. Five hundred dollars were placed at our disposal by the liberality of Miss Jennie S. Scott, Mrs. Mary L. Cheney, Mrs. Clara F. Bass, Mr. Geo. S. Morison and Miss Mary Morison.

Three hundred dollars have been used in the purchase of physical apparatus and the remaining two hundred dollars are deposited in the Peterboro Savings Bank, in readiness for use in procuring chemical apparatus and supplies when needed.

In consequence of the increased expense that has been incurred in bringing the High School to its present condition, it has been deemed proper and advisable to increase the tuition charged to neighboring towns for pupils from those towns. After consultation with the school boards of several other towns, having approved High Schools, we have fixed upon thirty dollars per year as a fair tuition charge.

The people of Peterboro have shown a greatly increased interest in their schools during the last few years, and we confidently expect that they will heartily endorse and support any forward step, if such step has been judiciously taken. On the other hand, we expect and invite candid criticism if mistakes have been made.

EDWIN H. TAYLOR,	} School
ELSIE E. HUNT,	
WILLIAM MOORE,	
	Board.

### Insurance on School Property.

Property Insured:			Amt. of Insurance.	When Expiring.
Center	School Building		4,500 00	March 17, 1902
"	"	"	1,500 00	" 21, 1903
West	"	"	500 00	" 17, 1902
"	"	"	500 00	" 21, 1903
South	"	"	500 00	" 17, 1902
North	"	"	500 00	" 17, 1902
East	"	"	200 00	" 21, 1903
Happy Valley	"	"	300 00	" 21, 1903
Wilson	"	"	500 00	August 21, 1904

TABULAR VIEW OF SUMMER SCHOOLS.

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TABULAR VIEW OF FALL SCHOOLS.

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TABULAR VIEW OF WINTER SCHOOLS.

SCHOOLS	TEACHERS
High	{ Frank E. Mason, Principal Jennie H. Field, Preceptress Alice E. Ward, Assistant Ethel C. Grimes, Music and Callisthenics
Grades VIII, IX	Harry Brooks
Grades VI, VII	Grace M. Howard
Grades IV, V	Edith M. Shedd
Grades II, III	Katie E. Wilder
Grade I	E. Bertha White
West Grammar	Fred A. Shattuck
West Primary	Alice L. Nichols
South	Margrette F. Mulkeen
North	Lillian M. Murray
East	Grace M. Hill
Valley	S. Elizabeth Libbee
Wilson	Edith F. Cragin



## SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT.

NELLIE F. CUMMINGS, Treasurer, in account with the School District  
of Peterboro, on account of Physical Culture.

## RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand	200 00
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## EXPENDITURES.

Cash on hand	200 00
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NELLIE F. CUMMINGS, Treasurer, in account with the School District  
of Peterboro, on account of Books and Supplies.

## RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand	89	
For books	9 25	
For books returned	2 52	
Cash of town	550 00	
		562 66

## EXPENDITURES.

Edward E. Babb & Co., books and stationery	86 91	
Silver, Burdett & Co., books and charts	76 12	
American Book Co., books	80 10	
Ginn & Co., books	157 45	
D. C. Heath & Co., books	32 75	
Estabrook Steel Pen Co. Mfg. Co.,	4 59	
Eagle Pencil Co.	22 10	
Harvard University, books	3 20	
J. L. Hammett Co., books	14 10	
Werner School Book Co., books	10 80	
C. A. Baldwin, Agt., express	6 95	
F. K. Longley, Agt., freight	1 31	
Cash on hand	66 28	
		562 66

NELLIE F. CUMMINGS, Treasurer, in account with the School District  
of Peterboro, on account of Repairs.

## RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand	2 78	
Cash of town	150 00	
		152 78

## EXPENDITURES.

S. Anderson	2 80	
Geo. H. Vinall	26 24	
J. F. D'Orsay	1 90	
Edward J. Downing	24 00	
Nichols Bros.	19 92	
Geo. W. Edwards	1 10	
O. J. Flagg	2 90	
Cash on hand	73 92	
		152 78

NELLIE F. CUMMINGS, Treasurer, in account with the School District  
of Peterboro.

## RECEIPTS

Cash on hand	457 97	
" for ashes	2 20	
William Hayden, tuition	12 00	
J. Faulkner,           "	12 00	
Fred C. Gowing       "	12 00	
For sale of school house, No. 11	15 00	
"       "       "       "       No. 8	24 00	
Town of Hancock, tuition	30 00	
"       Dublin, tuition	20 00	
For supplies sold	1 28	
Of Town	5,729 76	
		6,310 21

## EXPENDITURES.

Frank A. Tarbell, wood	4 00
Katie Wilder, teaching	245 00
Harry C. Vinall, janitor	15 00
Nichols Bros., supplies	3 29
Clyde E. Kidder, labor	1 00
Ethel F. Comerford, teaching	20 00
Newton D. Clarke, teaching	350 00
Emma L. Mitchell, boarding child	12 50
E. W. Hadley, boarding child	25 00
Mrs. W. T. Flint, conveying child	32 50
Edward Guay, janitor	240 00
"       "       labor	68 50
W. H. Scott, sawing wood, &c.	14 00
S. H. Emery, conveying child	42 50
Edith M. Shedd, teaching	267 00
Lora M. Nichols,       "	117 00
Ethel C. Grimes,       "	276 00
Grace M. Howard,       "	296 00

Julia M. Blair, teaching	108 00
Emma L. Safford, "	72 00
Mrs. Fifield, cleaning	3 75
Nella B. Thompson, teaching	60 00
John B. Clark Co., blanks,	2 00
Jennie H. Field, teaching	566 66
N. A. Flag, cleaning school house	3 30
J. Q. Adams, wood	48 00
Harry Brooks, teaching	318 00
C. S. Mitchell, sawing wood,	7 50
Mrs. A. O. Frost, conveying children	61 25
Grace E. Preble, teaching	120 00
H. H. Horne, address at graduation	16 00
Jennie H. Morrill, teaching	59 00
Alice L. Nichols, "	203 00
Joseph Lacrosse, sweeping	1 00
George Bruce, janitor	11 50
Edith F. Cragin, teaching	217 00
George Burke, conveying scholars	99 90
T. N. Hunt, wood	30 00
Beale Press, filling out diplomas	2 00
D. M. White, insurance	10 00
Mrs. H. E. Dunbar, care of house, &c.	5 95
Walter W. Sumner, janitor	2 00
Walbridge & Taylor, wood	52 50
J. Fred Varnum, wood	2 50
Martin White, labor	18 78
Elsie E. Hunt, paid for cleaning	3 75
Gertrude Roberts, services as janitor	4 00
Alvin Townsend, coal	191 20
Alice E. Ward, teaching	222 21
Mary I. Harley, "	22 40
Frank E. Mason, "	555 55
E. Bertha White, "	152 00
F. A. Shattuck, "	179 00
Chas. Varnum, wood	1 50
C. Elizabeth Libbee, teaching	144 00
Robert P. Hall, janitor	2 00
" " sawing wood	5 00
Grace M. Hill, teaching	96 00
John F. Dunklee, wood	10 50
C. A. Baldwin, express	2 45
Margaret F. Mulkeen, teaching	128 00
Lillian Murray, teaching	111 60
D. J. Crosby, wood	12 50
Edith F. Hannaford, teaching	9 60
William Moore, wood	24 69
Walter E. O. Malley, janitor	2 00

H. E. Dunbar, janitor	3 00
H. F. Nichols, duster	50
E. H. Taylor, paid for repairing piano	3 50
Mrs. J. E. Faulkner, conveying child	6 87
Walbridge & Taylor, supplies	16 32
S. Tenney, furniture	7 57
F. K. Longley, agent, freight	29
David F. Nelson, painting	17 25
George H. Fifield, janitor	3 20
Smith Bros., supplies	7 20
L. E. Wilson, setting glass	13 25
J. R. Miller & Son, supplies	1 16
Emma L. Mitchell, conveying child	18 75
Geo. P. Cummings, wood	17 00
Geo. A. Gelineau, janitor	4 00
Samuel Anderson, philosophical furniture	28 35
A. F. Grimes, music	3 07
“ “ repairing clock	75
Geo. Wait Cummings, printing	9 50
J. H. Steele, ink	1 50
Jennie H. Field, stationery and express	1 27
Cash on hand	101 08
	<hr/> 6,316 21

NELLIE F. CUMMINGS, Treasurer.

Peterboro, N. H., Feb. 20, 1902.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing account of the Treasurer of the School District of the Town of Peterboro, pages 1 to 23 inclusive, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

Showing a balance of cash in her hands on account of repairs of \$73.92. On account of physical culture, \$200.00. On account of books and supplies of \$66.28. On account of general school fund, \$101.08.

We find that orders have been drawn to the amount of \$56.68, which have not been presented for payment.

M. L. MORRISON, }  
WM. H. CALDWELL, } Auditors.

Peterboro, N. H., Feb. 20, 1902.

# TOWN WARRANT.

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

**To the Inhabitants of the Town of Peterborough,  
qualified to Vote in Town Affairs.**

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said town, on Tuesday the eleventh day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers and agents for the ensuing year.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools, for the maintenance of the poor, for the laying out and repairing of highways, and all necessary charges arising within the town, and appropriate the same.

3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of the fire department, public library, and for the Grand Army on Memorial Day.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate toward paying the town debt and interest.

5. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

6. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to enforce the law relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors, and raise and appropriate money for the same, or take any other action relating thereto.

7. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to appoint a town liquor agent for the ensuing year, and if not, to see what disposition they will vote to make of the liquors on hand.

8. To see if the town will vote to accept the gifts of Lucy K. Treadwell, Susan R. Lee, and Helen M. Young, the interest to be expended on their cemetery lots.

9. To see if the town will vote to move the Soldiers' monument from the grove where it now stands to the Academy lot, now occupied by the G. A. R., and to raise and appropriate money for the same, or to take any action relative to said monument.

10. To see if the town will vote to place more electric lights on the streets in West Peterborough, and raise and appropriate money for the same.



11. To see if the town will vote to put in a sidewalk on Vale street, from Grove street up the Creamery Hill, so called.

12. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the highway in the South Village leading from A. W. Noone's mill northeast of his dwelling house towards E. M. Felt's house, upon condition that he will build another highway a little further north to take its place, free of expense to the town, or take any other action relating to said highway.

13. To see if the town will vote to purchase the electric light plant of the Peterborough Electric Light, Power and Heat Co., and raise and appropriate money, or issue bonds for the payment of the same; or make a contract with said company or any other parties to light the streets, Town Hall and library for one or more years and raise and appropriate money for the same; or buy a privilege and establish a plant to light said streets, Town Hall and library, and raise and appropriate money or issue bonds for the payment of the same, or take any other action in relation to lighting the streets, Town Hall and library.

14. To see if the town will vote to light the highway between the Puffer corner on Concord street and the bridge at the North Village by putting up not exceeding eight electric lamps, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

15. To see if the town will vote to repair the concrete sidewalk on Union street and extend the present concrete sidewalk on said street towards the West Village, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

16. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water pipes from the present terminal on Concord street to a point near the Puffer corner, and put in one or more hydrants and gate, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

17. To see if the town will vote to exempt from taxation for the term of ten years additions proposed to be made or that may be made to the manufacturing establishment of A. W. Noone at the South Village, his buildings, machinery, stock in trade and the capital used in operating the same, and that the valuation of said property for the purpose of taxation be fixed at twenty-eight thousand nine hundred seventy-five dollars during said term of ten years (that being the sum upon which tax was paid for the year 1901.)

18. To see if the town will vote to build an arch stone bridge over the stream near Fred J. Ames' house, and raise and appropriate money for the same or take any action in relation thereto.

19. To see if the town will vote to accept the gift of five thousand dollars from Andrew Carnegie for the benefit of the Peterborough Town Library, or take any other action in relation to said gift.

Witness our hands and seal this 22nd day of February A. D. 1902.

SAMUEL W. VOSE,	} Selectmen of Peterborough.
EZRA M. SMITH,	
WM. G. HUNTER,	

## SCHOOL WARRANT.

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**To the Inhabitants of the School District of the Town of Peterborough, qualified to Vote in District Affairs.**

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district, on Saturday, the 15th day of March, next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose two Auditors for the ensuing year.
5. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
6. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing year.
7. To hear the reports of the agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen.
8. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to provide suitable furniture, books, maps, charts, apparatus and conveniences for schools.
9. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to make repairs on school houses or other school property.
10. To see if the district will vote to insure any of the school houses or other school property and raise and appropriate money for the same.
11. To choose agents or committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Given under our hands and seal this 27th day of February, A. D. 1902.

EDWIN H. TAYLOR,	}	School Board.
ELSIE E. HUNT,		
WILLIAM MOORE,		



# VITAL STATISTICS

*1901.*

# Births Registered in the Town of Peterboro, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date 1901	Name of Child	Sex	Living or S. B.	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 22	Joseph	M	L	2	William St John	Agnes Charest	Peterboro	Laborer	Canada	Canada
25	Alice Marguerite	F	L	4	Charles Brenner	Nelly Barrett	"	Mason	Manchester	Westminster, Mass
Feb. 3	George Silas	M	L	5	Silas Blanchette	Georgianna Madden	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
Mar. 1	Isaac Davis	M	L	2	Daniel M White	Mary L Osgoode	"	Lawyer	Peterboro	"
14	Karl Herbert	M	L	2	Charles H Weeks	Abbie M Chase	"	Farmer	Richmond	Wilmot
19	Mary Lada	F	L	5	Barney LeBritton	Ellen Thomas	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
21	Arthur Artanus	M	L	9	Joseph Fontain	Delia Longtin	"	"	"	"
April 2	Walter Terrold	M	L	1	James A Bordreau	Mabel A Safford	"	Carpenter	Keene	Westport, Vt
16	Mildred Gertrude	F	L	1	John M Wilder	Bertha Shattuck	"	Manufacturer	Peterboro	Golden, Colo.
24	Margery May	F	L	2	George W Smith	Hattie Aldrich	"	Basket Maker	Monkton, Vt	Monkton, Vt
May 2	John Chase	M	L	7	Octave LaPorte	Ellen J Heath	Greenfield	Laborer	Canada	Hillsboro
16	John Lawrence	M	L	4	Simeon T Green	Josephine S Blanchard	Peterboro	Farmer	Bow	Jaffrey
26	Florence Isabelle	F	L	3	Allen W Spaulding	Katherine S Jordan	"	"	Francesstown	Greenfield
June 6	Charles	M	L	11	George Fred Stratton	Edna Holden	"	Piano Key Fins'r	New York City	Keene
6	Phyllis Orpha	F	L	1	John Thomas	Selma Arseneau	"	Carpenter	New Ipswich	Sharon
12	Harold Walter	M	L	1	Maurice H Nichols	Cora Belle Wilkins	"	Stone Mason	Canada	Canada
13	Dolores	F	L	3	Walter E Lawrence	Hattie F Roberts	"	Livery Stable'er	Claremont	Hillsboro
17		F	L	3	Charles P Fisher	Margaret M Cuthbert	"	Farmer	New Ipswich	Peterboro
July 5	Wilbur Edward	M	L	6	Joseph LaCrosse	Mary Kerber	"	Glass Blower	Keene	Garden City, Mo
9	Blanch Eva	F	L	4	William A Tandy	Emma J Davis	"	Operative	Worcester, Mass	France
11	Mary Alex Sinea	F	L	2	Agapie Brideaux	Virginia Garneau	"	Farmer	Washington	Newport
17	Roy Theodore	M	L	3	Joseph Durant	Kate Arseneau	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
22	Chester Frank	M	L	3	Exlone Snow	Delina Toutant	"	Barber	W. Boylston, Mass	New Brunswick
25	Ada Louise	F	L	3	Charles F Parker	Flora B Bissonette	"	Farmer	Peterboro	Canada
29	Antoni	M	L	2	Leon Carrier	Annie Rose	"	Barber	Canada	Fall River, Mass
Aug. 17	Fay Ivan	M	L	10	John Leblide	Zofia Jamrock	"	Carder	Austria	Austria
26	Howard Gilbert	F	L	1	George Haddock	Lucinda Cole	"	Laborer	Center Harbor	Augusta, Me
26		F	L	1	Ned A Blood	Maida H Elliott	"	Merchant	Itceniker	Reed's Ferry
27		F	L	1	Felix Aiken	Josephine Maynard	"	Weaver	W. Boylston, Mass	Canada
27		M	L	1	George D Willis	Adele Cogeshall	"	Confectioner	Boston, Mass	New Orleans, La



Aug.	20	1	Robert F Flagg	Nellie Chadwick	Peterboro	Laborer	Fitzwilliam	Washington, Del
Sept.	8	1	Fred Morris	Rose Raymond	"	"	Westmoreland	Ireland
	11	2	Irving C Faunce	Angie Sinclair	"	Merchant	East Rochester	Bridgetown, Me
	12	3	David Gotrell	Olive Boudoure	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
	13	2	Dennis F Hutchinson	Theresa M Dorman	"	"	Digby, N S	Peterboro
	23	1	Ernest F Pratt	Emma A Austin	"	Operative	Greenville	Greenwich, N Y
	23	4	Joel T Brackett	Lillian A Taylor	"	Teamster	Sharon	West Fairlee, Vt
	29	5	Alex Champagne	Victoria Boudoux	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
Oct.	15	1	Arthur H Miller	Hattie F Howard	"	Druggist	Peterboro	Saxton's River, Vt
	19	5	Eleanza Rose	Josephine Caya	"	Farmer	Burlington, Vt	Canada
	23	1	Ralph Weston Ollis	Ethel May Baker	"	Laborer	Peterboro	Salem, N Y
Nov.	7	1	Ralph H Rollins	Olive A Clark	"	Operative	Marlboro	Enfield
	8	1	Harry R Hurd	Mary Welch	"	Farmer	No. Hadley, Mass	Hadley, Mass
	17	2	Joseph N Moran	Rose L Burke	"	"	Cambridge, Mass	Roxbury, Vt
	17	3	Richard Kliefelder	Annie Meyer	"	Piano Key Mak'r	New York City	Brooklyn, N Y
	25	3	Joseph Lord	Georgiana Le Rossina	"	Farmer	Canada	Canada
	25	1	Cyprian A Bond	Julia Greeney	"	Weaver	W Boylston, Mass	"
Dec.	26	1	Harry M Blood	Mary R Crosby	"	Merchant	Hillsboro	Peterboro
	29	1	Joseph Dube	Maria Lezyotte	"	Shoemaker	Canada	Canada
	9	9	George E Davis	Anna E Lord	"	Carpenter	Harford, Vt	Harford, Vt
	27	4	Harry E Miller	Nellie Holden	"	"	Peterboro	Grafton, Vt

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Peterboro, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Place & Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Occupation	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	No. married	Name & Residence of Person by whom Married
Jan. 9	Arthur H Miller	Peterboro	Druggist	Peterboro	John R Miller Ellen A Townsend	Peterboro Gilsun	1	Rev W H Gane Peterboro
Peterboro	Hattie F Howard	"	27	Saxton's River, Vt	Sidney A Howard	Windham, Vt	1	
April 8	John J Madden	"	24 Clerk	Peterboro	Flora A Holden Edward F Madden	Ireland	1	Rev J P O'Neil Peterboro
Peterboro	Mary L Pelkey	"	19	W Boylston, Mass	Lizzie B Shea Peter Pelkey	Canada	1	
April 23	Michael J O'Leary	"	26 Foreman	England	Cordelia Liberty Lawrence O'Leary	Ireland	1	Rev J P O'Neil Peterboro
Peterboro	Marie O Guay	"	29	Gilsun	Margaret Donaher Edward Guay	England	1	
June 3	Dustin Jarvis	"	28 Laborer	Canada	Exeter Auger John Jarvis	Canada	1	Rev J P O'Neil Peterboro
Peterboro	Marie W Marceau	"	20	"	Delia LaMort Archile Marceau	"	1	
June 12	Walter E Lawrence	"	29 Farmer	New Ipswich	Apoline Cimon James G Lawrence	Rindge	2	B L Talbot, J P Peterboro
Peterboro	Hattie E Roberts	"	18	Peterboro	Abbie Hicks George H Roberts	Lunenburg, Mass Boston, Mass	1	
June 24	William G Sheldon	Lynn, Mass	35 Barber	New Ipswich	Sarah E Bryant Charles B Sheldon	Jaffrey	2	Rev W H Branigan Peterboro
Peterboro	Annie May Spencer	"	22	Nova Scotia	Louisa A Upton George M Spencer	Peterboro Nova Scotia	1	
June 24	Harry J Clarke	Peterboro	Hotel Clerk	Randolph, Mass	Elizabeth Kane Hugh Clarke	Boston, Mass	1	Rev W H Branigan Peterboro
Peterboro	Lora May Nichols	"	24	Peterboro	Mary Rawley Samuel W Nichols	Indiana	1	
June 27	Carl Louis Schrader	Geneseo, N Y	28 Physical Director	Bremen, Germany	Mary E Dunklee C G L Schrader	So. Lyndeboro Germany	1	Rev W H Branigan Peterboro
Peterboro	Maud L Wallace	Peterboro	22	Peterboro	Johanna Winzenburg Frank A Wallace	Peterboro	1	
					Effie L Preston	Monitomac, Wis	1	

June 29	George E Elliott	Peterboro	27	Farmer	Fitchburg, Mass	George E Elliott Sarah A Austin	Mason	1	Rev D E Adams Mason
Mason	Mamie L Woods	"	21		Peterboro	Lucius A Wood	Dunstable, Mass	1	
July 3	James C Naglie	"	27	Teamster	Wilton	Lizzie A Taggart	Peterboro	1	Rev Alfred F Tracy Wilton
Wilton	Della M Hopkins	Francest'n	26		Lyndon, Vt	Conrad Naglie Celina Mead	Switzerland Springfield, Mass	1	
August 12	Frank Spence	Peterboro	24	Operative	Scotland	Charles W Hopkins Abbie Pickins	Scotland	1	Rev J M Durrell Keene
Keene	Katie Brady	"	26		Peterboro	William Spence Ellen Heslip	Ireland	1	
August 15	Henry B Copp	"	67	Clergyman	Piermont	Terence Brady Bridget Downs	"	2	Rev D J Smith Kindge
Peterboro	Laura L Pond	Manchest'r	49		Belmont, N Y	Joseph M Copp Hannah H Brown	Warren Cavendish, Vt	2	
Sept. 22	Mathias Lavoie	Peterboro	23	Laborer	Canada	John D Young Adaline Miles	" New Hampshire	1	Rev J P O'Neil Peterboro
Peterboro	Lizzie Dube	"	18		"	Achille Lavoie Emma Pelletier	Canada	1	
Oct. 1	Edward Trudeau	"	22	Salesman	Stevens Point, Wis	David Dube Jennivive Ouliett	"	1	Rev. J P O'Neil Peterboro
Peterboro	Mary R A Charest	"	18		Canada	Isaac Trudeau Celestine Charon	"	1	
Oct. 16	Sydney J Adams	No. Scitu'e	27	Teamster	Gloucester, Mass	Oliver Charest Emma Mitchell	"	2	Rev W H Braugan Peterboro
Peterboro	Goldie Mac Richards	"	23		So. Providence, R I	John Q Adams Phoebe Shepard	East Killingly, Conn Highgate, Vt	1	
Oct. 31	Joseph C Murphy	Smith's Falls, Can	23	Laborer	Canada	Leander Richards Mary E Richards	East Killingly, Conn East Greenwich, R I	1	Rev J P O'Neil Peterboro
Peterboro	Mary J Spence	Peterboro	20		Scotland	Cornelius Murphy Mary O'Maro	Canada	1	
Nov. 20	Michael J Barrett	"	27	Operative	Ireland	William Spence Ellen Heslip	Scotland	1	Rev J P O'Neil Peterboro
Peterboro	Maggie Fitzpatrick	"	25		New Brunswick	Michael Barrett Catherine Colman	Ireland	1	
Nov. 25	John H Delaney	Waltham Mass	24	Stone Mason	Waltham, Mass	Dennis Fitzpatrick Bridget Murphy	New Brunswick Ireland	1	Rev J P O'Neil Peterboro
Peterboro	Mary E Murphy	Peterboro	24		New Brunswick	James Delaney Mary A Fitzpatrick Thomas Murphy Jane Hanson	" England	1	

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Peterboro, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date	Name	Place of Birth			Occupation	Place of Birth		Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days		Father	Mother	
Jan. 8	Louisa A Sheldon	69	6	18	F m	Sharon	Peterboro	Betsey Law
9	Frank Gay Clarke	50	3	30	F m	Acworth	Acworth	Julia Gay
13	Almeda L Richardson	58	2	23	F m	Dublin	Dublin	Lydia Bowers
Feb. 11	Emily L Gilchrist	68	11	16	F m	"	"	Jane Warren
	Louise Duffield	37	2	6	F m	Acton, Mass	Belfast, Me	Rose Collins
	Annie J Forbush	66	11	2	F w	Canada	Canada	Elmira W Cram
	Simeon Homon	36	11	7	M s	Francestown	Francestown	Genevieve Duval
	Henry W Spaulding	10	23	7	M s	England	England	Joseph ne Blanchard
22	Beza Ramsey	95	9	24	M s	Canada	Canada	Betsey
26	Joseph T Briceaux	41	5	2	M m	Greenfield	Westminster, Ms	Margaret Thomas
27	George A Willard	81	7	7	M m	Manchester	Andover, Mass	Ophelia Davis
Mar. 19	John M Ramsey	59	5	17	F s	Canada	Canada	Nellie Barrett
April 2	Alice M Breuner	3	3	7	M s	Peterboro	Peterboro	Almira Chaudler
8	John C Wilkins	71	3	7	M s	Dublin	Dublin	M Bellansouette
13	Joseph Garneau	69	2	8	F w	Deering	Deering	L Cunningham
19	Joseph Brackett	22	1	11	M m	Ireland	Ireland	Margaret Stauley
20	Hannah A Rourke	40	9	15	F s	East Rutland, Vt	New Boston	Mahala O Coburn
23	Augustus W Mitchell	22	1	11	F s	Ireland	Ireland	Emma D Todd
22	Desire G Spaulding	67	1	4	M s	Needham, Mass.	Hillsboro	Mary Donovan
24	Catherine Regan	64	5	16	F s	Peterboro	Peterboro	Martha King
27	Albert Alfred Miller	47	2	1	M m	Monkton, Vt	Monkton, Vt	Abiah Snell
May 3	William E Dadmun	31	7	28	F m	Ireland	Ireland	L Cunningham
12	Sarah A Brackett	73	7	28	F m	Westminster, Ms	Westminster, Ms	Olive Blood
14	Josephine A Felt	59	9	21	F m	Lunenburg, Mass	Lunenburg, Mass	Bertha L Shattuck
15	Margery May Smith	82	1	23	F m	Russia	Russia	Maria Hayes
21	Maud Fernald	28	5	6	M s	Orleans, Mass	Dennis, Mass	Carrie B Flagg
June 3	Edward William Hill	25	4	29	F s	Ireland	Ireland	Sally Perry
14	Edwin Blake	25	4	29	F s	Canada	Canada	Benjamin Blake
15	Anna Farmer Welch	59	9	21	F m	Russia	Russia	William Farmer
19	Charles Nathan Foster	82	1	23	M s	Orleans, Mass	Dennis, Mass	Charles H Foster
July 7	Jacob A Segel	82	1	23	M s	Orleans, Mass	Dennis, Mass	F L Segel
22	Freeman F Myrick	25	4	29	F s	Ireland	Ireland	Nathaniel Myrick
25	James F Burke	25	4	29	F s	Canada	Canada	Alice Cashon
Aug. 4	Cora Lowe	25	4	29	F s	Canada	Canada	Margaret LaPoint



Aug.	20	Relief S Tenny	77	9	27	Marlboro	Marlboro	Marlboro	Silas McColister	Achsah Holman
Sept.	1	— Haddock	66	8	15	Peterboro	Center Harbor	Augusta, Me	George Haddock	Lucinda Cole
	5	Susan R C C Tucker				Peterboro	So Kingston, R I	So Kingston, R I	Samuel C Clark	Abbie P Robinson
	8	— Morris					Westmoreland	Ireland	Fred Morris	Rose Raymond
	9	Elijah C Janes	72	10		Vermont				
	23	— Brackett				Peterboro	Sharon	West Fairlee, Vt	Joel T Brackett	Lillian A Taylor
	28	William T Lawrence	76	6		Ashburnham, Mass	Ashby, Mass	Ashby, Mass	Jeremi'h Lawrence	Mary Tuttle
	29	Susan R Lee	63	4		Gillhall, Vt.	Tamworth, Vt	Gillhall, Vt	Ebenezer I, York	Tamson Courser
Oct.	4	William Waldron	81	6	15	Wheatland, N Y	Speyboydan, N Y	Canada	Peter Waldron	Anna Huyck
	7	Robert Lord	60	3	27	England	England	England	John Lord	Mary Whittiker
	13	Maria Jane Buckland	55	4	27	Great Falls, Mass			Elb'd'ge G Howard	Naoma S Heath
Nov.	1	Betty France	60	2		England	England	England	James Dawson	Martha Berry
	17	Ann Eliza Ferren	78	4	19	Peterboro	Peterboro	Roxbury, Vt	Samuel Weston	Eliza Gardner
	17	— Moran				"	Cambridge, Mass	Canada	Joseph N Moran	Rose L Burke
	25	— Lord				"	Canada		Joseph Lord	G L Roissena
	28	William H Prichard	61	30		"	Rindge	Stoddard	Jeremiah Prichard	Elmira Page
Dec	27	— Miller				"	Peterboro	Grafton, Vt	Harry E Miller	Nellie Holden
	30	Martha Bokenhagan	32	17		Berlin, Germany	Germany	Germany	William Zschau	Annie Yelsh

JOHN H. STEELE, Town Clerk







